

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
1414-SPL

In Re Application Of: **John C. Murphy**

Serial No.  
09/813,767

Filing Date  
3/21/01

Examiner  
Gerard R. Strecker

Group Art Unit  
2862

Invention: **Apparatus and Methods Using Mechanical Resonators to Enhance Sensitivity in Lorentz Force  
Magnetometers**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 11/13/03 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: 2/13/04    until: 5/13/04  
*Date*    *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	12 -	40 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4 -	4 =	0	x \$43.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$475.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$475.00

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of ~~\$475.00~~ <sup>FAC</sup> for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2218 in the amount of \$475.00
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 01-2218

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Dated: *May 11, 2004*

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited  
on *May 11, 2004* with the U.S. Postal Service  
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the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria,  
VA 22313-1450.

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